

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI
SOUTHWESTERN DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	
vs.)	No. 22-05021-03-CR-SW-BCW
)	
STERLING B. PEPPERS,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

**ACCEPTANCE OF PLEA OF GUILTY AND
ADJUDICATION OF GUILT**

Pursuant to the Report and Recommendation of the United States Magistrate Judge, to which there has been no timely objection, the plea of guilty of the Defendant to Counts One and Eight and admitted to Forfeiture Allegation contained in the Superseding Indictment filed on May 24, 2023, is now Accepted and the Defendant is Adjudged Guilty of such offense. Sentencing will be set by subsequent Order of the Court.

/s/ Brian C. Wimes
BRIAN C. WIMES
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Date: September 24, 2023#